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# PICTURES OF THE EARTH



# WARM UP

- 
- Can you describe to me
  - what you see in the picture?
  - Do you think that it is
  - already perfect as it is? Why so?



## Pictures of the Earth – level 2



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Level 1

Level 2

Level 3

NASA **launched** a new website. It **features** colour images of the full, sunlit side of the Earth. A NASA camera takes the images and it is 1.6 million kilometres away.

Each day, NASA will **post** images from 12 to 36 hours earlier. You can see how the Earth rotates.



# VOCABULARIES

- **NASA** – *noun*. /'næs.ə/  
National Aeronautics and  
Space Administration
- **Launch** – *verb*. /la:ntʃ/
- **Feature** – *verb*. /'fi:tʃə/
- **Post** – *verb*. /pəʊst/
- **Sunlit** – *adj*. /'sʌn.lɪt/
- **Rotate** – *verb*. /'rəʊ.teɪt/

to turn or cause something  
to turn in a circle, especially  
around a fixed point

receiving a lot of light from the sun

to start

to upload, to put on a website

to have

the US government organization  
that is responsible  
for space travel and  
the scientific study of space



# QUICK CHECK

- What did NASA launch?
- Please state what it features.
- How often will NASA post images?
- How far are the pictures does the NASA camera take?
- What else can be seen from NASA's posts?



# CONVERSATION QUESTIONS

1. What are the things that amazed you from this short news article?
2. Why did you find these amazing?
3. Did it occur to your thoughts how did these sources of the images came about? Or that Someone made them? Can you share me your thoughts about this?



# CONVERSATION QUESTIONS

4. What can you say about what NASA is doing?
5. Do you think that it is worth the money for these projects? Why so?